



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Su-Jin Ahn et al.

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For: SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICES HAVING OFFSET TRANSISTORS

AND METHODS OF FABRICATING THE SAME

March 6, 2006

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of February 9, 2006, Applicants hereby elect Species I identified in the Office Action, which is drawn to Claims 1-12 and 38-40.

It is not believed that an extension of time and/or additional fee(s), including fees for net addition of claims-are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. In the event, however, that an extension of time is necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such an extension is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any additional fees believed to be due in connection with this paper may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.